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New National Smoker Study:

Merit Shakes Brand Loyalties.



Smokers report "easy switch" from high tar brands in latest research.

Can low tar MERIT with 'Enriched Flavor' deliver the flavor of high tar cigarettes—and continue to satisfy former smokers of those high tar brands?

Here are the results of a new national smoker study conducted with high tar smokers, who taste-tested MERIT against leading high tar brands.

Results Confirm MERIT Breakthrough

Confirmed: Majority of high tar smokers rate MERIT taste equal to—or better than—leading high tar cigarettes tested! Cigarettes having up to twice the tar.

Confirmed: Majority of high tar smokers confirm taste satisfaction of low tar MERIT.

Detailed interviews were also conducted with current MERIT smokers.

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Kings: 8mg "tar," 0.6mg nicotine—
100's: 11mg "tar," 0.7mg nicotine av. per cigarette, FTC Report May '78

Warning: The Surgeon General Has Determined
That Cigarette Smoking Is Dangerous to Your Health.

Confirmed: 85% of MERIT smokers say it was an "easy switch" from high tar brands.

Confirmed: Overwhelming majority of MERIT smokers say their former high tar brands weren't missed?

Confirmed: 9 out of 10 MERIT smokers not considering other brands.

First Major Alternative To High Tar Smoking

MERIT has proven conclusively that it not only delivers the flavor of high tar brands—but continues to satisfy!

This ability to satisfy over long periods of time could be the most important evidence to date that MERIT is what it claims to be: The first major alternative to high tar smoking.

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